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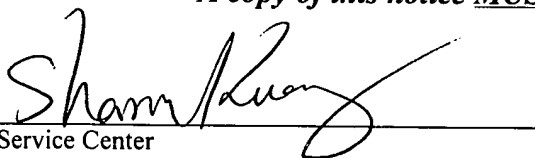
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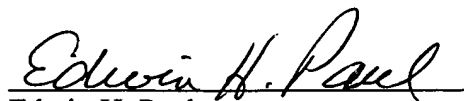
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Enclosed in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers-Filing
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